**University Diversity**

**Winner:**
- Dr. Zeynep Kilic, Asst. Professor of Sociology

**Nominations:**
- Gabriel Garcia, Asst. Professor of Public Health
- E. Andre Thorn, Director, Multicultural Center
- Robert Boeckman, Associate Professor of Psychology
- SafeZone
- Ms. Theresa Lyons, Director, New Student Orientation

**University Sustainability**

**Winners (TIED):**
- Herminia Din, Associate Professor, Art Education
- Patricia Baum, Project Manager, Facilities and Campus Services

**Nominations:**
- Penny Kimball, Director, Bookstore
- Summer Sauve, Project Manager, Facilities and Campus Services
- Sharon Larue, Associate Professor, Aviation Technology

**Service to Students (2 Awards: one faculty, one staff)**

**Winners:**

**Faculty**
- Patricia Fagan, Associate Professor, Spanish

**Staff**
- Joanne Von Pronay, Student Services Professional, Advising and Testing

**Nominations:**
- Bruno Kappes, Professor, Psychology
- Thomas Hendrix, Associate Professor, School of Nursing
- Zac Clark, Concert Board Coordinator
- Janine Elgamal, Student Transition Advisor, UAA Multicultural Center
- Katharine Brandenburg, Administrative Secretary, Psychology
- Tuyet Tran, Academic Secretary, Justice
- Anita Bradbury, Administrative Assistant, Student Life and Leadership
- Jim Seitz, Co-Chair, MAT Program, Field Placement Coordinator, College of Education
- Dana Sample, Student Union Operations Coordinator
Service to Community (2 Awards: one faculty, one staff)

Winners:
Faculty
- Osama Abaza, Chair, Professor, School of Engineering
Staff
- Leo Medal, Student Success Coordinator, AHAINA

Nominations:
- Deborah Periman, Associate Professor/Legal Studies Coordinator
- Judith Owens-Manley, Director, Center for Community Engagement and Learning
- SafeZone
- Ira Rosnel, Asst. Professor, Human Services

Staff Excellence

Winner:
- Kimberly Swiantek, Governance Coordinator, Governance Office

Nominations:
- E. Andre Thorn, Director, Multicultural Center
- Barbara Armstrong, Editor, Alaska Justice Forum/Research Assistant
- Steve Hinds, Sr. HRS Consultant/Training Manager
- Robin Wahto, Director, School of Allied Health
- Roxana Petrilla, Fiscal Technician, College of Business and Public Policy
- Nick Dighiera, Safety Officer
- Nate Mills-Price, Electrician
- Meghan Owens, Administrative Assistant, Mathematical Sciences
- Rebecca VanLoon, Marketing Director, Business Services
- Lisa Amaziah, Media Technician, School of Nursing
- Craig Mead, Credentials Evaluator, Office of the Registrar

Excellence in Teaching (2 Awards: one faculty and one adjunct faculty)

Winners:
Faculty
- Joshua Swift, Asst. Professor, Psychology
Adjunct

- Margan Grover, Adjunct Faculty, Anthropology

Nominations:
- David Weaver, Adjunct Professor, Guidance
- Teresa Bunsen, Associate Professor, Special Education
- Megan Gobeille, Term Asst. Professor, Mathematical Sciences
- Laura Koenig, Adjunct Professor, Music
- Alison Mall, Asst. Professor, Secondary Education
- Julia O’Leary, Adjunct Professor, Psychology
- Joy Mapaye, Asst. Professor, Journalism and Public Communications

Excellence in Research/Creative Activity

Winner:
- Jim Pantaleone, Professor/Chair, Physics/Astronomy

Nominations:
- Joshua Swift, Asst. Professor, Psychology
- Brad Myrstol, Asst. Professor/Director, Alaska Justice Statistical Analysis Center
- James Murphy, Professor, Economics

Small Team Collaboration (less than 25 participants)

Winners (TIED):
- Dental Programs Alaska Cares--Dental Days at UAA
- Student Union & Commuter Student Services Late Nights Program

Nominations:
- Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Student Appreciation Luncheon Program Committee
- Values Discussion Series Team
- Facilities Maintenance and Operations Work Management Team
- Black History Month Committee
- Green Fee Board
- Mat-Su College Assessment Task Force
- Master of Public Health (MPH) Program
- UAA Multicultural Center
- Advising and Testing Center
- Criteria Champions of the Alaska Small Business Development Center
- SafeZone
- Alaska LEND without Walls team
- QuickSearch Implementation Team
• Human Resources Technicians and Payroll Staff

Large Team Collaboration (more than 25 participants)

Winner:
• National Coalition Building Institute

Nominations:
• UAA Brand Launch and Street Team
• 1314 Standing Scholarship Committee